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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of	:	Attn: Mail Stop AF
Masanori MASUDA	:	Patent Art Unit: 3748
Serial No. 10/574,261	:	Examiner: Douglas J. Duff
Filed: March 31, 2006	:	Confirmation No. 3812
For: ROTARY COMPRESSOR WITH LOW	:	<i>AMENDMENT AFTER</i>
PRESSURE SPACE SURROUNDING	:	<i>FINAL REJECTION</i>
OUTER PERIPHERAL FACE OF	:	
COMPRESSION MECHANISM AND	:	
DISCHARGE PASSAGE PASSING	:	
THROUGH HOUSING	:	

THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Sir:
Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS				SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA		RATE	ADDIT. FEE	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL 9	- 20	=	0	x 26 = \$		x 52 = \$	
INDEP 1	- 3	=	0	x 110 = \$		x 220 = \$	
<input type="checkbox"/> 1ST PRESENTATION OF MULT. DEP. CLAIM				+ 195 = \$		+ 390 = \$	
				TOTAL \$		TOTAL \$	

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the February 25, 2009 Office Action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the *Listing of Claims*, which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 1-4 and 6-10 are pending, with claim 1 being the only independent claim.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.